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# **Epidemiologic Notes and Reports**

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In September 1985, Hurricanes Elena and Gloria struck the Gulf of Mexico and Atlantic coasts of the United States, respectively, causing injuries, fatalities, and property damage. To determine the impact of the storms, health departments in three states—Mississippi, Rhode Island, and Connecticut—examined records of hospital emergency-room (ER) visits during and after the hurricanes.

# **HURRICANE ELENA**

Mississippi. On August 30, 1985, the National Weather Service issued a hurricane warning for portions of the Gulf Coast, including Mississippi. As Hurricane Elena approached Mississippi, coastal municipal and county governments, through coordination with civil defense and emergency management agencies, evacuated low-lying areas. The eye of the hurricane passed over Gulfport on Monday morning, September 2. Sustained winds were recorded that day at 90 m.p.h., with gusts to 100 m.p.h.

The day after Hurricane Elena struck, the Office of Epidemiology, Mississippi State Department of Health, set up a hospital ER surveillance network to: (1) establish daily contact between the health department and the six hospitals serving the coast, so no reporting delay would occur if any unusual illness/injury patterns emerged, and (2) characterize the types of adverse health effects seen in the aftermath of the storm. ER personnel were asked to tally 24-hour totals for: (1) visits to the emergency room; (2) injuries, including lacerations and muscular strains; (3) gastroenteritis (because of loss of water pressure in local water systems); and (4) other conditions judged by the ER staff to be storm-related. In addition, ER personnel reported storm-related deaths of which they were aware.

Total visits peaked September 3 (551 visits), then, after approximately 1 week, decreased steadily to a level that represented the average daily baseline for the hospitals (331 visits) (Figure 1). The frequency of total injuries roughly paralleled that of total visits, and gastroenteritis never emerged as a problem during the 3 weeks of follow-up. At least three fatalities were thought to be storm-related: two in separate motor-vehicle crashes and one due to electrocution.

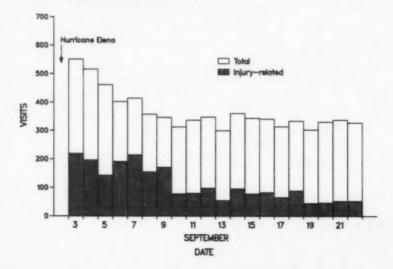
#### **HURRICANE GLORIA**

On September 26, 1985, the National Weather Service issued a hurricane warning for the Atlantic coast of the United States from North Carolina to Massachusetts. On Friday afternoon, September 27, Hurricane Gloria struck the New England coast. The storm weakened rapidly in its final approach and caused less damage than predicted. State health department investigators in both Rhode Island and Connecticut studied the effects of the storm on ER visits.

Rhode Island. On the evening of September 26, the governor of Rhode Island declared a state of emergency and implemented the state's disaster plan. Residents of low-lying coastal areas were evacuated to shelters. On September 27, schools and most businesses remained closed, and all nonemergency automobile travel was banned from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. The peak wind velocity, 91 m.p.h., was recorded near 2 p.m. that day. Because the storm arrived at low tide and brought very little rain to the state, no significant flooding occurred. However, the wind downed trees and power lines, leaving more than half of Rhode Island residents without electricity.

To help assess the impact of the storm and the effectiveness of emergency measures, the Rhode Island Department of Health reviewed ER logs for September 20-October 6 at four coastal hospitals that serve approximately 325,000 persons. Medical records of persons identified in the logs for September 27-29 at three of these hospitals and death certificates for the entire state were also reviewed. Five storm-related fatalities were identified. Two of these persons sustained fatal injuries outdoors during the storm—one, from a falling tree; another, in a boating incident. Two died from injuries related to the lack of electricity—one fell in an unlighted area; one pedestrian was killed on a road with a nonfunctioning traffic light. One person suffered a cardiac arrest and fell from his roof while removing debris.

FIGURE 1. Total daily emergency-room visits and injury-related visits to coastal hospitals — Mississippi, September 3-22, 1985



The number of ER visits dropped during the afternoon of the hurricane, then increased markedly over the next 2 days (Figure 2). Overall, 191 more patients were seen September 27-29 than the previous weekend of September 20-22, a 16% increase (Table 1). While the greatest relative increase in the rate of hospital admissions occurred the day of the hurricane, the greatest increase in ER visits was seen the following day. The age and sex distributions of patients were similar for the two periods.

Records of all ER visits to three of the four hospitals on September 27-29 were reviewed. Of 1,029 patients seen, 484 (47%) had sustained injuries. Among injured patients, the most common diagnoses were laceration (22%), abrasion or contusion (20%), sprain (14%), and fracture (12%). Four percent of the injured patients were admitted to the hospital. Over half the records reviewed included insufficient information to determine whether the visit was related to the storm or its aftermath. Eighty-nine (9%) records described visits clearly related

FIGURE 2. Emergency-room visits, four coastal hospitals — Rhode Island, September 20-October 6, 1985

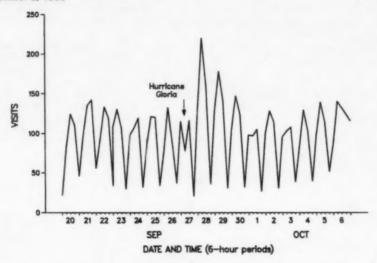


TABLE 1. Emergency-room (ER) visits and rates of admission, four coastal hospitals — Rhode Island, weekends of September 20-22, and September 27-29, 1985

				Hospita	l admiss	sions from ERs				
	No.	visits	Increase	Sept.	20-22	Sept	. 27-29			
Day	Sept.20-22	Sept.27-29	in visits (%)	No.	(%)	No.	(%)			
Friday	342	347	1	39	(11)	51	(15)			
Saturday	423	533	26	37	(9)	54	(10)			
Sunday	405	482	19	45	(11)	56	(12)			
Total	1,170	1,362	16	121	(10)	161	(12)			

to the storm; among them, 73 were injuries. Twenty-six (36%) of the 73 injured patients had lacerations, and another 11 (15%) had fractures. Nine storm-related chain-saw injuries were identified; four additional chain-saw injuries were reported without specifying circumstances of injury. Compared with the 113 non-storm-related injuries, more of the storm-related injuries occurred among males (71%, compared with 60%), and among persons 40-49 years old (23%, compared with 6%).

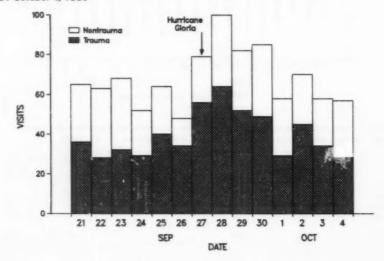
Connecticut. The eye of Hurricane Gloria passed directly over Connecticut at 2 p.m. The extent of storm-related damage was similar to that described in Rhode Island. Investigators from the State of Connecticut Department of Health Services and the Department of Epidemiology and Public Health, Yale University School of Medicine, focused their study on a single coastal community and the effects of the storm on emergency medical services.

The city chosen was one of the most storm-damaged in the state. Approximately 1,000 of the city's 51,430 residents were evacuated from shoreline homes. Telephone service was largely uninterrupted, but more than 70% of electrical utility customers lost power, many for 4-5 days.

During September 27-29, medical care was available primarily through the ER at the local 149-bed hospital. Two private walk-in medical-care centers remained closed until electrical power was restored September 30.

Two sources of information on medical emergencies in the community were examined: records of hospital ER visits and telephone calls to the 911 emergency number. ER log entries for September 21-October 4 were reviewed to determine the number of trauma and nontrauma visits. ER-patient records for September 27-30 (the hurricane period) and October 1-4 (the posthurricane period) were abstracted, and discharge diagnoses were assigned to one of 31 diagnostic categories, 14 of which related to trauma. Telephone calls to the 911 emergency number were classified as medical or nonmedical by emergency personnel. The 911 tele-

FIGURE 3. Emergency-room visits to a community hospital — Connecticut, September 21-October 4, 1985



phone log and incident reports were reviewed, and medical emergencies were divided into seven injury and eight noninjury categories.

During the hurricane period, both the total number of ER visits and the number of ER visits for trauma were increased, compared to the pre- and posthurricane periods (Figure 3). The proportion of total visits resulting from trauma did not change significantly, nor did the percentage of total visits that led to hospital admission from the ER. Trauma-related visits peaked September 28 (64 visits), but the most common date of injury occurrence, when specified, was September 27 (65 injuries). Compared to the posthurricane period, the proportion of total ER visits during the hurricane period was significantly greater in two of the 31 diagnostic categories (corneal abrasion, odds ratio 3.9; bee stings, odds ratio 17.3) and significantly less in one (psychiatric, odds ratio 0.23) (for all three, p < 0.05). No difference was found in the age or sex distribution of persons seeking emergency medical care during these two periods.

During the prehurricane period, the average daily number of calls to the 911 number for both medical and nonmedical assistance was seven (range 3-11 and 4-10, respectively). The number of calls peaked on the day of the hurricane: 25 medical calls (four trauma) and 49 nonmedical calls (mostly for tree damage and downed electrical wires). Nonmedical calls reached a second but lower peak on October 1 (27 calls), temporally associated with the resumption of electrical power to most residents.

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Editorial Note: Previous surveillance studies during severe storms have underscored the need to plan for an increase in hospital staffing needs during the aftermath of the storm and to expect a considerable number of injuries to occur during clean-up activities (1-3). In Mississippi, demands on ER services peaked immediately after the hurricane, and injuries comprised an important fraction of the visits. Despite the loss of water pressure, no outbreaks of gastroenteritis were identified. Overall morbidity and mortality were probably best minimized by effective area evacuation before the arrival of the storm. Public information should continue to emphasize safety during the clean-up period. In Connecticut, the number of calls to the emergency number actually increased the day electrical power was restored.

Three factors probably contributed to the increase in ER visits following the hurricanes. First, some patients who might have gone to ERs the day of the hurricanes delayed their visits until the following days. Second, as in the Connecticut community, lack of electricity kept some alternate sources of medical care, particularly walk-in medical-care centers, closed, while hospitals were able to rely on emergency generators to remain open. Finally, some hurricane-related injuries did occur: in Rhode Island, 47% (89/191) of the overall increase in visits may have been hurricane-related.

In general, injury surveillance is hampered by poor documentation of the circumstances of injury in ER records. In Mississippi, considerable variation in reporting occurred from hospital to hospital and, on occasion, within the same hospital. For example, some hospitals included backache as an injury, others counted it in the "other" category, and others did not count it at all. Efforts should be directed towards improving data recording systems to increase their utility in evaluating the response of public health services during natural disasters. Health departments should adopt guidelines for information to be recorded by selected ERs in disaster areas, emphasizing circumstances of injury.

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# **Current Trends**

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#### Part I: Recommendations for Immunization Procedures

The purpose of these recommendations is to provide information on rabies vaccines to practicing veterinarians, public health officials, and others concerned with rabies control. This document will serve as the basis for animal rabies vaccination programs throughout the United States. Its adoption will result in standardization of procedures among jurisdictions, which is necessary for an effective national rabies-control program. These recommendations are reviewed and revised as necessary before the beginning of each calendar year. All animal rabies vaccines licensed by the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) and marketed in the United States are listed in Part II, and Part III describes the principles of rabies control.

#### A. VACCINE ADMINISTRATION

The Committee' recommends that all animal rabies vaccines be restricted for use by or under the supervision of a veterinarian.

#### **B. VACCINE SELECTION**

The use of vaccines with 3-year duration of immunity is recommended, since their use constitutes the most effective method of increasing the proportion of immunized dogs and cats in comprehensive rabies-control programs.

#### C. ROUTE OF INOCULATION

Unless otherwise specified by the product label or package insert, all vaccines must be administered intramuscularly at one site in the thigh.

#### D. WILDLIFE VACCINATION

Vaccination is not recommended, since no rabies vaccine is licensed for use in wild animals and since there is no evidence that any vaccine will protect wild animals against rabies. The Committee recommends that neither wild nor exotic animals be kept as pets and that wild animals not be crossbred to domestic dogs or cats. Offspring borne to wild animals crossbred to domestic dogs or cats will be considered as wild animals.

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## E. ACCIDENTAL HUMAN EXPOSURE TO VACCINE

Accidental human inoculation may occur during administration of animal rabies vaccine. Such exposure to inactivated vaccines constitutes no known rabies hazard. No cases of rabies have resulted from needle or other exposure to a licensed, modified live virus vaccine in the United States.

#### F. IDENTIFICATION OF VACCINATED DOGS

The Committee recommends that all agencies and veterinarians adopt the standard tag system. This will aid the administration of local, state, national, and international procedures. Dog license tags should not conflict in shape and color with rabies tags. It is recommended that anodized aluminum rabies tags not be less than 0.064 inches in thickness.

#### 1. Rabies Tags.

Calendar Year	Color	Shape
1986	Orange	Fireplug
1987	Green	Bell
1988	Red	Heart
1989	Blue	Rosette

Rabies Certificate. All agencies and veterinarians should use form #50 Rabies Vaccination Certificate of the National Association of State Public Health Veterinarians, Inc. (NASPHV), which can be obtained from vaccine manufacturers.

Part II: Vaccines Marketed in the United States and NASPHV Recommendations

Product name	Produced by	Marketed by	For use in*	Dosage †	Age at primary vaccination §	Booster recommended
A. MODIFIED LIVE V	IRUS					
					3 mos. &	
ENDURALL-R	NORDEN		Dogs	1 ml	1 yr. later	Triennially
	License No. 189	Norden	Cats	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
NEUROGEN-TC	BOEHRINGER					
	INGELHEIM				3 mos. &	
	License No. 124	Bio-Ceutic	Dogs	1 mt	1 yr. later	Triennially
B. INACTIVATED						
					3 mos. &	
TRIMUNE	FORT DODGE		Dogs	1 mi	1 yr later	Triennially
	License No. 112	Fort Dodge			3 mos. &	
			Cats	1 mi	1 yr. later	Triennially
ANNUMUNE	FORT DODGE		Dogs	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
	License No. 112	Fort Dodge	Cats	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
BIORAB-1	DOUGLAS	Schering	Dogs	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
	License No. 165-B	Veterinary				
		TechAmerica	Cats	1 mi	3 mos.	Annually

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B. INACTIVATED			030 m	Dusage	Vaccination	recommended
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BIORAB-3	DOUGLAS	Schering			3 mos. &	
	License No 165-B	Veterinary	Dogs	1 ml	1 yr. later	Triennially
		TechAmerica	Cats	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
					3 mos. &	
RABUME 3	DOUGLAS		Dogs	1 ml	1 yr. later	Triennially
	License No. 165-B	Beecham	Cats	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
DURA-RAB 1	WILDLIFE VACCINES, Inc.	Wildlife Vaccines, Inc.	Dogs	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
	KUNZ-TEBBIT	Kunz-Tebbit	Cats	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
	License No. 277					
RABCINE	BEECHAM		Dogs	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
	License No. 225	Beecham	Cats	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
ENDURALL-K	NORDEN		Dogs	1 ml	3 mos	Annually
CHOOMING N	License No. 189	Norden	Cats	1 mi	3 mos	Annually
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RABGUARD-TC	NORDEN		Dogs	1 ml	1 yr. later	Triennially
	License No 189	Norden			3 mos. &	
			Cats	1 ml	1 yr later	Triennially
			Sheep	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
			Cattle	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
			Horses	1 ml	3 mos	Annually
CYTORAB	COOPERS ANIMAL HEALTH, INC.	Coopers	Dogs	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
	License No. 107		Cats	1 ml	3 mos	Annually
TRIRAB	COOPERS ANIMAL	Coopers			3 mos &	
	HEALTH, INC.	Durvet	Dogs	1 ml	1 vr.later	Triennially
	License No. 107	Durvet	Cats	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
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RABVAC 1	FROMM		Dogs	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
	License No. 195-A	Fromm	Cats	1 mi	3 mos.	Annually
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RABVAC 3	FROMM		Dogs	1 ml	1 yr. later	Triennially
	License No. 195-A	Fromm			3 mos. &	
			Cats	1 ml	1 yr. later	Triennially
IMRAB	MERIEUX		Dogs	1 ml		
	License No. 298	Pitman-Moore	Cats	1 ml	3 mos &	Triennially
			Sheep	1 ml	1 yr later	
			Cattle	2 ml	3 mos.	Annually
			Horses	2 mi	3 mos.	Annually
IMRAB-1	MERIEUX		Dogs	1 mt	3 mos.	Annually
	License No. 298	Pitman-Moore	Cats	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
C. COMBINATION						
ECLIPSE 3 KP-R	FROMM					
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C. COMBINATION						
ECLIPSE 4 KP-R	FROMM License No. 195-A	Fromm	Cats	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
CYTORAB RCP	COOPERS ANIMAL HEALTH, INC. License No. 107	Coopers	Cats	1 ml	3 mos.	Annually
FEL-O-VAX PCT-R	FORT DODGE License No. 112	Fort Dodge	Cats	1 ml	3 mos. & 1 yr. later	Triennially

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Refers only to domestic species of this class of animals.

#### Part III: Principles of Rabies Control

These guidelines have been prepared by the NASPHV for use by government officials, practicing veterinarians, and others who may become involved in certain aspects of rabies control. The NASPHV plans to annually review and revise these recommendations as necessary. Standardized control procedures are needed to deal effectively with the public health aspects of rabies.

#### A. PRINCIPLES OF RABIES CONTROL

- Humans. Rabies in humans can be prevented by eliminating exposure to rabid animals and by promptly treating local wounds and immunizing when exposed. Current recommendations of the Immunization Practices Advisory Committee (ACIP) for preexposure and postexposure prophylaxis are suggested for consideration by attending physicians. These recommendations, along with the current status of animal rabies in the region and information concerning the availability of rabies biologics, are available from state health departments.
- 2. Domestic Animals. Local governments should initiate and maintain effective programs to remove stray and unwanted animals and ensure vaccination of all dogs and cats. Since cat rabies cases now exceed those annually reported in dogs, immunization of cats should be required. Such procedures in the United States have reduced laboratory-confirmed rabies cases in dogs from 8,000 in 1947 to 97 in 1984. The recommended vaccination procedures and the licensed animal vaccines are specified in Parts I and II of the NASPHV's annually released Compendium.
- Wildlife. The control of rabies in foxes, skunks, raccoons, and other terrestrial animals
  is very difficult. Selective reduction of these populations, when indicated, may be
  useful, but the utility of this procedure depends heavily on the circumstances surrounding each rabies outbreak. (See C: Control Methods in Wild Animals.)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>All vaccines must be administered intramuscularly at one site in the thigh unless otherwise specified by the label.

<sup>§</sup>Three months of age (or older) and revaccinated 1 year later

#### B. CONTROL METHODS IN DOMESTIC AND CONFINED ANIMALS

- Preexposure Vaccination and Management. Animal rabies vaccines, because of species limitations, techniques, and tolerances, should be administered only by or under the direct supervision of a veterinarian. Within 1 month after vaccination, a peak rabies antibody titer is reached, and the animal can be considered immunized. (See Parts I and if for recommended vaccines and procedures.)
  - Dogs and Cats. All dogs and cats should be vaccinated against rabies commencing at 3 months of age and revaccinated in accordance with Part II of this Compendium.
  - b. Livestock. It is not economically feasible, nor is it justified from a public health standpoint, to vaccinate all livestock against rabies. Veterinary clinicians and owners of valuable animals may consider immunizing certain breeding stock located in areas where wildlife rabies is epizootic.

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TABLE I. Summary-cases of specified notifiable diseases, United States

		5	1st Week End	ing	Cumulati	ive 51st Week	Ending
	Dicease	Dec 21 1985	Dec 22 1984	Median 1980-1984	Dec 21 1985	Dec 22 1984 4 342 8 023 1 178 835 780 20 785 21 243 25 882 3 749 5 052 680 237 988 2 2557 2 259 2 614 4 2 910 2 218	Median 1980-1984
Acquired Imr	munadeficiency Syndrome (AIDS)	188	196	94	7 901	4 342	N
Aseptic men	ingritis	143	82	113	9 991		9 358
Encephalitis:	Primary (arthropod-borne				0.001	0.020	5 5 5 5
	& unspec )	22	30	22	1 239	1 1 7 8	1 500
	Post-infectious	-	1	9	112		95
Gonorrhea:	Civilian	13.185	19.649	18.393	823.887	835 760	941 032
	Military	244	458	380	17 399		25 146
depatrtis;	Type A	450	416	416	22.470		22 582
	Type B	559	615	474	25.808	25 862	21 589
	Non A, Non B	73	79	N	3 932		N
	Unspecified	97	79	158	5 621	5 052	8 500
Legicnellosis		13	18	Pá	654	680	N
Leprosy		4	9	3	341	237	236
Malania		17	9	9	993	968	1 019
Measles: To	stal"	9	9	9.1	2 700	2 55 7	2 55 7
Inc	digenous	9	8	P0	2 254	2.259	6
len	ported		1	PN PN	446	298	6
Meningococ	cal infections: Total	49	50	51	2 3 3 1	2 614	2 660
	Civilian	40	50	51	2 327	2 6 1 0	2 64 1
	Military				4	4	14
Mumps		44	55	62	2.852	2 910	4 721
Pertuseis		49	21	26	3.239	2.218	1 764
Rubella (Ger	man measles)	7	12	26	603	734	2 058
Syphilis (Prin	mary & Secondary): Civilian	436	663	579	24.821	27.559	30 435
	Military	3	2	3	137	280	360
Toxic Shock	syndrome	3	11	91	337	465	Pi Pi
Tuberculosis		545	494	494	21 106	21 201	25 115
Tularemia		2	3	4	163	284	2.78
Typhoid feve	or .	12	10	9	375	374	451
	r, tick-borne (RMSF)	2	2	4	692	830	1 100
Rabies, anim		72	68	68	5 205	5 229	6 058

TABLE II. Notifiable diseases of low frequency, United States

	Cum 1985		Cum: 1985
Anthrax		Leptospirosis	34
Botulism Foodborne	52 60	Plague	16
Infant	60	Poliomyelitis Total	5
Other	1	Paralytic	5
Brucellosis (S.C. 1)	133	Psittacosis (Wash 1 Calif 1)	106
Cholera	3	Rabies human	1
Congenital rubella syndrome		Tetanus	70
Congenital syphilis ages < 1 year	149	Inchinosis	56
Diphtheria	2	Typhus fever flea-borne (endemic munnel	25

<sup>\*</sup>There were no cases of internationally imported measles reported for this week

TABLE III. Cases of specified notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending December 21, 1985 and December 22, 1984 (51st Week)

		Aseptic	Encep	phalitis	Gono	othea	He	epatitis (V	iral), by typ		Legionel-	
	AIDS	Menin- gitis	Primary	Post-in- fectious	(Civil	ian)	A	8	NA,NB	Unspeci- fied	losis	Leprosy
eporting Area	Cum. 1985	1985	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1984	1985	1985	1985	1985	1985	Cum. 1985
INITED STATES	7 901	143	1.239	112	823.887	835.760	450	559	73	97	13	341
EW ENGLAND	272	4	39		22.138	22 522	13	42	3	7		7
Asine	11		-		1.126	999 719	1	4		1		
6.H. /t.	3 2		8		557 333	373						
Aass.	164	1	21		9.284	9.797	9	19		5		7
R.I. Conn.	12	2	9		9.004	9.034	3	17	3	1		
MID ATLANTIC	3 049	19	155	11	126.988	110 334	21	80	4	1		37
Jpstate N.Y.	326	12	52	4	17.769	17 702	10	40		1		1
N.Y. City	2.091	1	16		61.945	42.280			-			32
N.J. Pø.	437 195	6	57	7	19.362 27.912	19 896 30 456	2	15 25	2			4
E.N. CENTRAL	354	29	363	20	113.211	118 562	16	60	5	4	4	22
Ohio	53	16	143	4	30 979	31 216	5	34	3	3	4	3
Ind.	25	2	69	2	12 504	12 280	4	11				17
Mich.	192	2	62 68	8	25 910 32 917	27.970 34.238	7	13	2	1		2
Wis.	24	9	21	6	10 901	12.858		13	-	-		
W.N. CENTRAL	121	11	19	4	40.720	41.025	24	22	3		3	4
Minn	39	5	38	1	5.936	6.152	7	8	1			3
lowa Mo	13 49	2 2	29		4.260 19.850	4.490 19.705	,	9	1		1	1
N. Dak.	1		1	1	269	380						
S Dak	1				775	983	14	2			2	
Nebr. Kans.	12	2	5	2	3.487 6.139	3.026 6.289	2	2				
S. ATLANTIC	1.237		138	46	183 815	210 781	25	113	18	8	4	5
Del.	11		29	1	4 354	3.977	4	23	3	1		1
Md. D.C.	145		23	,	15 522	14 932						
Va.	103	6	21	8	18.901	19.974	2	4	5	1		1
W. Va.	6		38 29	1	2.541 36.145	2 /04 33 945	1	16	1	1	2	
N.C.	64		6	,	21 208	21 328		20	1			
Ga	189	4				39 328	7	15				
Fla.	516	13		36	56 111	50 829	10	34	8	5	2	4
E.S. CENTRAL	12		40	4	75 238	74 528	10	43	4	2		
Ky.	18		1.7		8 653 29.050	8.820 29.983	2	12		1		
Tenn.	2:		11	4	22 506	22 732	1	19	3			
Miss.	8	3 1	4		15.029	12 993		3				
W.S. CENTRAL	56		148	3	10/518	112 725	51	48	5	24		3
Ark.	11		13	2	10 222 20 537	10.298 24.290		2	1			
La. Okla.	11		25	1	12.214	12.347	9	5	2	2		
Tex	440	) 4	103		64 545	65.790	42	34	2	22		2
MOUNTAIN	15	5	58	6	2/54/	27.221	79	33	16	5	1	1
Mont.		1			793	1.034	10	3 4		1		
Myo.	,	3	1		968 609	728	10	-				
Colo	41	9 1		2	7 9 7 2	7.840	7	6		3		
N. Mex.	1.		3		3.075 8.473	3 224	27	12	14	1	1	
Ariz. Utah	5.			4	1.323	1 28/	11	3	144	,	- 6	
Nev.	1	4	4		4,334	4.135	15	5	2			
PACIFIC	2 0 7			18	126,712	118.062	211	118	15	46		21
Wash.	11.		14	1	9 699 6 305	8.862 6.537	48	29	1	2		.3
Oreg.	1 90			17	105.992	97 872	132	80	13	38	1	15
Alaska		5	41		3.073 1.643	2.873				1		2
		1 (			161	227	U	U	U	U	U	
Guam P.R.	9	4	1	2	3 045	3.263	0	4	0		2	
V.L		2	,		391 146	505	U	3	U	·	u u	2
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TABLE III. (Cont'd.) Cases of specified notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending December 21, 1985 and December 22, 1984 (51st Week)

			Meas	iles (Rub	ecial		Manin- gococcal	Mut	mos		Pertussis			Rubella	
eporting Area	Malaria	Indig	enous	impo	rted *	Total	Infections						-		-
aporting Alles	Cum. 1985	1985	Cum. 1985	1985	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1984	Cum. 1985	1985	Cum. 1985	1985	1985	1984	1985	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1984
MITED STATES	993	9	2.254	-	846	2.557	2.331	44	2 852	49	3.239	2.218	7	603	734
EW ENGLAND	57		38		86	106	115	1	68	4	216	76.	1	14	19
faire LH.	5				1	36	15		12	-	114	17		3	1
R.	2					7	10		3		4	23	:		
Auss.	27	-	34		84	49		i	23 16	3	54 22	22	£	7	16
Cit.	13		4		3	14	18		8	1	12	6		4	1
					38	180	410	7	342	12	265	196	5	232	230
MD ATLANTIC	162		193		13	180		3	179	7	130	108	2	21	96
pstate N.Y. I.Y. City	66		67		12	112			33		27	16	3	188	100
J.	18		17		10	7	67	3	55	1	12	13		14	2
W.	26		37		3	8	111	1	75	4	96	59		14	
N CENTRAL	68		448		90	703		14	999	4	765	517		36	10
thio	11		5		54	10	135	3	298		120	79 246		1	
nd.	5		55		2	100		11	249	1	201	246		18	6
L	28	-	293		10	186		11	324	2	51	31		16	2
Rich: Vis.	18		37 58		1	40			91	1	332	132		1	
								2	89	10	264	129		19	3
V.N. CENTRAL	35		2		10	58		2	09	1	134	16		2	
Alimon,	17				6	-	- 10	1	19	1	34	15		1	
fo.	5		1		2			1	18	2	34	20		I	
I. Dak.	2				2		5		4		10			2	
Dak.	1						- 5			5	11	14			
labr.	1		1				11		3	1	10	55		E	3
ans.	6		1				5 15		44		31				
ATLANTIC No.	110		310		32	6	7 450		277	2	415	226		58	2
Ad.	25		106		9		2 58		36		175	61		fi	
C.	8		28		3		8 8		-		1	19		2	
fa.	21		21		7		5 54		49		21	11		- 4	
V. Va.	2		31		2		1 65		20		39			1	
I.C.	10		9		3		1 36		11		2	2		3	
ia.	10		8	-			2 81		30		99			6	
la.	34	-	107		8	2	8 127		55		71	76		29	
S. CENTRAL	11				. 7		6 105	1	32		73			3	
y.	4				5		1 10		8		9			3	
lenn.					1		2 42		18		28				
Ma.	6						3 28 25	1	5	2	29				
Alos.	1				1										
W.S. CENTRAL	101		435		17		6 199	2	320		552			41	
Ark_	2						8 19 8 26		7 2		18		)		
A. Oklo.	4	7	42		1		8 34	N			166			1	
7839. Tex.	8		393	3	16			2			351			39	
MOUNTAIN	60		496		54	14	15 101	3	245	3 2	232	124		5	
Wort.	60	,				7	- 11		12	2		1 15	4		
ulaho		3					3 5	1			16		E .	1	
Nyo		1 -		5 -			- 6			2			7		
Colin.	2			8 -		7	6 27	N	2		97			2	
N. Mex. Ariz.	10			1 -		7 8	1 23	2						1	
Ang. Jitah	1	2				- 2	27 9		- 1	6	53	3	7		
Nev.		5 .					- 6		60	6		-	2	1	
PACIFIC	38	9 9	33	2	11	0 66	66 422	14	470	6 7	45	59	9 1		
Wash.	38		10		3		73 69	. 4	4	0 4	90	320	6	14	
Oreg.	1			4		1	- 38			N	50			2	
Calif.	32	7 5	3 20	4	- 6	5 33	30 292				270		3 1	136	
Aleska		2		9		5 16	63 12	1	1 1		1		6	42	
Hawaii	1	7	- 1	8											
			J 1	0 4	1	1	96			6 1	Į.		- (	1 2	
Guerri		1 (													
Guam P.R. V.I.			- 6			6 2	73 15			2	- 1	6	1	27	

<sup>\*</sup>For meseles only, imported cases includes both out-of-state and international importations.

TABLE III. (Cont'd.) Cases of specified notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending December 21, 1985 and December 22, 1984 (51st Week)

Occasion Acres	Syphilis (( (Primary & S	Civilian) econdary)	Toxic- shock Syndrome	Tubero	ulosis	Tula- remia	Typhoid Fever	Typhus Fever (Tick-borne) (RMSF)	Rabies, Animal
Reporting Area	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1984	1985	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1984	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1985
UNITED STATES	24 821	27559	3	21 106	21 201	163	375	692	5 205
NEW ENGLAND	5/2	530		695	662	4	14	9	20
Maine	17	10		46 21	36 27		1	1	1
N.H. Vt.	40	14	-	8	8				1
Wass.	281	293		405	361	4	10	6	11
R.I.	17	190		52 163	55 175		3	i	7
Conn.	212	150						~	007
MID ATLANTIC	3.578	3 718		3 685	3 834	2	15	39	637 148
Upstate N.Y.	265 2 159	323 2 228		1811	1576	1	33	6	
N.Y. City N.J.	694	662		476	835	1	11	4	40
Pa.	460	505		754	838		1	20	449
	1148	1378	1	2 599	2 7 7 9	3	44	39	182
E.N. CENTRAL Ohio	145	239	1	449	515		11	23	30 23
Ind.	63	143		1 141	356 1 134	2	20	5	46
100.	241	568 353		532	621	2	8	2	26
Mich. Wis.	64	75		141	153	1	2		57
				614	635	44	15	43	935
W.N. CENTRAL	235 45	353	1	125	117	1	6		191
Minn. Iowa	19	11	1	58	6/		3	1	148
Mo	134	185		298	306	31	5	8	138
N. Dak	2	9		31	14	8		2	321
S. Dak.	6	15		13	30	2	1	4	35
Nebr. Kans	22	43		80	17	1		21	51
		8 065	1	4 428	4 442	6	44	328	1 300
S ATLANTIC Del	6 153 39	21	,	43	57	1		3	1
Md	451	414		403	406		11	26	667
D.C.	333	336		15 / 453	182 453	1	3	26	1.76
Va. W. Va.	291	402		110	132		1	2	30
N.C.	6/3	850		622	713	A	3	140	12 62
S.C.	193	110		525	540 662		3	48	203
Ga	3547	1 390 3 802	1	1 342	1 297		19	12	144
Fia					2.000	10	5	141	240
E.S. CENTRAL	2 129	2 00 /		1 840	2 006	10	1	15	38
Ky	65	529		567	592	1	2	33	12
Tenn. Ala	651	667		531	564	1	2	16 15	123
Miss.	111	/14		28/	350	1		15	
W.S. CENTRAL	5 932	6 /19		2611	2 459	66	34	138	856
Ark.	315	206		328	288	39	2	16	147
En:	1 065	1 168		388	337 232	21	2	94	110
Tex.	4 358	5 136		1 /13	1 602	6	30	24	579
					588	15	13	14	4/2
MOUNTAIN	749	652		570	28	4	1.3	6	243
Mont. Idaho	1	23		25	28				10
Wyo.	13	1		7	5	2	5	4 2	45 25
Colo	213	184		90	109	2	4		12
N. Mex. Ariz.	126	236		250	263	4	3		122
Utah	12	18		21	36	3	1	2	11
Nev.	60	92		39	41				
PACIFIC	4 5 2 5	413/		3 998	3 796	8	146	3	563
Wash	99	151		223	199	1	5		1
Oreg.	110	115		3 364	3 163	4	134	3	55
Calif.	4 242	3.788		95	74	3	2		
Hawaii	10	11		185	214		4		
C	2		U	35	53		3		
Guam	869	110		342	406		4		3
V.I.	3	11		1	4		52		
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U Unavailable

# TABLE IV. Deaths in 121 U.S. cities,\* week ending December 21, 1985 (51st Week)

		All Cau	ses, By A	ge (Year	ral					10   10   10   10   10   10   10   10			-		
Reporting Area	All Ages	>65	45-64	25-44	1-24	<1	P&f** Total	Reporting Area	All Ages	≥85	45-64	25-44	1-24	<1	Tot
NEW ENGLAND	726	523	139	32	22	10	5.4	S. ATLANTIC	1.186	781	225	98	33	48	53
Boston, Mass.	199	119	53	14	9	4	15	Atlanta, Ga.	130	76	33	14	3	4.	3
Bridgeport, Conn.	55	39	12	2	1	1	5	Baltimore, Md.	213	129	5.2	1.7	8	1	6
Cambridge, Mass.	26	23	2	1			4	Charlotte, N.C.		41		5		3	6
Fall River, Mass.	21	16	5				-	Jacksonville, Fla.		81		14		3	9
Hartford, Conn.	55	37	12	2	1	3	4	Miami, Fla.				1		3	1
owell, Mass.	34	29	3	2			1	Norfolk, Va.		34		5	4	5	3
ynn, Mass.	10	8	2	4				Richmond, Va.						8	7
		27	5		1		2							G.	-
less Bedford, Man			10	1		1	4	Savannah, Ga.						2	1
New Haven, Conn.	37	25 74			2		7	St. Petersburg, Fla.						3	-
rovidence, R.I.			13	5			í	Tampa, Fia.							
Somerville, Mass.	10	9	-	-	1	- 5		Washington, D.C.§						9	4
Springfield, Mass.	5.5	38	6	4	6	1	3	Wilmington, Del.	21	12	6		2	1	
Waterbury, Conn.	41	35	6				2								
Norcester, Mass.	56	44	10	1	1		6	E.S. CENTRAL						33	33
								Birmingham, Ala.	136					3	
	2.812	1.841	598	221	66	85	138	Chattanoogs, Tenn	59						
Albany, N.Y.	60	46	11	1	1	1	1	Knoxville, Tenn.	15	54	15	4	2		
Allentown, Pa.	13	11	2					Louisville, Ky.	105	65		9	1	13	
Buffalo, N.Y.	150	95	40	5	3	7	8	Memphis, Tenn.	180			16		10	1
Camden, N.J.	39	20	11	2	1	5	1	Mobile, Ala.						3	
Exception, N.J.	54	39	17	3	1		1	Montgomery, Ala.							
Ene Part	32	22	6	3		1	2	Nashville, Tenn.					a	a	
Jersey City, N.J.	76	49	15	7	3	2		readment, rentl.	120			10			
	1.383	908	211	133	33	32	58	W.S. CENTRAL	1.442	116.6	296	164	6.7	54	6
N.Y. City, N.Y.				14		4	5							3	0
Newark, N.J.	73	33	19		3	1		Austin, Tex.							
aterson, N.J.	24	12	1	3			3	Baton Rouge, Ls.						2	
Philadelphia, Pa.	398	238	98	29	12	21	28	Corpus Christi, Tex							
Pittsburgh, Pa.1	69	45	19	1	1	3	2	Dalles, Tex.					10	56	
Pleading, Pa.	38	30	6	2			4	El Paso, Tex.						3	
Rochester, N.Y.	149	109	29	5	4	2	15	Fort Worth, Tex.						1	
Schenectady, N.Y.	28	20	6	1		1	1	Houston, Tex. §	291	265	3			10	
Scranton, Pa.1	36	28	5	1	2		4	Little Rock, Ark.	65			2		4	1
Syracuse, N.Y.	97	69	11	1		4	1	New Orleans, La.	153	85	40	15	4	94	
Trenton, N.J.	39	21	8	3		1	1	San Antonio, Tex.	185	104	51		- Es	8	1
Utica, N.Y.	27	22	A		1		2	Shreveport, La.		35				3	
Yonkers, N.Y.	27	18	7	1			1	Tulsa, Okta.	120					2	
EN CENTRAL	2413	1.774	345	112	13	108	103	MOUNTAIN	6.91	164	122	41	16	21	2
		34	345		3	3	103							4	6
Akron, Ohio	50			2	3		3	Albuquerque, N.Mc						3	
Canton, Ohio	52	38	10			3		Colo. Springs, Colo							
Chicago, III.§	553	462	11	26	16	37	16	Denver, Colo.				8		11	
Cincinnati, Ohio	171	112	42	9	3	5	15	Las Vegas, Nev.				0		2	
C'leveland, Ohio	122	111	41	10	1	8	5	Ogden, Utah						1	
Columbus, Ohio	170	112	40	10	5	3	8	Phoenix, Anz.	131	87	26	10.0	3	5	
Dayton, Ohio	106	70	25	3	6	2	1	Pueblo, Colo.	24	18	5	1			
Detroit, Mich. §	259	234	2	5	11	I	8	Saft Lake City, Utal	1 44					1	
Evansville, Ind.	41	36	1	2	2		3	Tucson, Ariz.			18	2	3		
Fort Wayne, Ind.	42	28	6	2	2	4	2								
Gary, Ind.	10	6	2	2	-	-	1	PACIFIC	1 8 75	1273	344	152	53	46	10
Grand Rapids, Mic		41	13	5	1	11	2	Berkeley, Calif.					200		
	170	98	41	14	10	11	3	Fresno, Calif.					2	1	
Indianapolis, Ind.	40	27	41		3	1	5							1	
Madison, Wis.				2				Glendale, Calif.						1	
Milwaukee, Wis.	157	120	2.7	2	2	6	9	Hotolulu, Hawaii							
Peoria, III.	55	37	10	5	1	2	2	Long Beach, Calif.						1	
Rockford, III.	56	36	9	4	3	4	2	Los Angeles, Calif.						1	
South Bend, Ind.	63	45	15	1	1	1	1	Dakland, Calif.							
Toledo, Ohio	115	89	14	6	3	3	10	Pasadena Calif.							
Youngstown, Ohio	0 49	38	9	1				Portland, Oreg.						5	
W.N. CENTRAL	125	494	131	43	24	33	37	Sacramento, Calif. San Diego, Calif.	134	85	31	1-4	2	2	
Des Moines, lowe		50	15	4	2	4	2	San Francisco, Cal		947	39	1/	-	5	
	21	13	3	-	1	4	2		168	15.1	2	9	3	1	
Duluth, Minn.		14	9	4	4	2	1	San Jose, Calif. §	148	92	24	1/	3	1	
Kansas City, Kans	103	67	26		3	2	6	Seattle, Wash.	50	39	8		1	2	
Kansas City, Mo.				5	2	2	2	Spokane, Wash.					6	2	
Lincoln, Nebr.	19	13	6					Tacoma, Wash.	44	34	8	2			
Minneapolis, Minn	n. 83	57	14	6	1	5	4		1	*					
Omatia, Netir.	101	66	17	6	3	9		TOTAL	12641	8 585	2 3 11 /	Hab	358	444	- 6
St. Louis, Mo.	150	114	20	8	6	2	7								
St. Paul, Minn.	59	46	9	3	1										
	81	54	12	- 1	3	5	7								

<sup>\*</sup>Mortality data in this table are voluntarily reported from 121 cities in the United States, most of which have populations of 100,000 or more. A death is reported by the place of its occurrence and by the week that the death certificate was filed. Fetal deaths are not included. \*\*Pheurimenia and influentia.

\*\*Penumenia and influentia.

\*\*Because of changes in reporting methods in these 3 Pennsylvenia cities, these numbers are partial counts for the current week. Complete counts will be available in 4 to 6 weeks.

\*\*Total includes unknown ages.

\*\*Data not available. Figures are estimates based on average of past 4 weeks.

#### c. Other Animals.

- (1) Animals Maintained in Exhibits and Zoological Parks. Captive animals not completely excluded from all contact with local vectors of rabies can become infected with rabies. Moreover, such animals may be incubating rabies when captured. Exhibit animals, especially carnivores and omnivores having contact with the viewing public, should be quarantined for a minimum of 180 days. Since no rabies vaccine is licensed for use in wild animals, vaccination, even with inactivated vaccine, is not recommended. Preexposure rabies immunization of animal workers at such facilities is recommended to protect the workers and to reduce the need for euthanizing a valuable animal for rabies testing after it has bitten a handler.
- (2) Wild Animals. Because of the existing risk of rabies among wild animals, such as raccoons, skunks, and foxes, the American Veterinary Medical Association (AVMA), the NASPHV, and the Conference of State and Territorial Epidemiologists strongly recommend the enactment of state laws prohibiting the interstate and intrastate importation, distribution, and relocation of wild animals and wild animals crossbred to domestic dogs and cats. Further, these same organizations continue to recommend the enactment of laws prohibiting the distribution or keeping of wild animals as pets.
- 2. Stray-Animal Control. Stray dogs and cats should be removed from the community, especially in rabies-epizootic areas. Local health department and animal-control officials can enforce the pick-up of strays more efficiently if owned animals are confined or leashed when not confined. Strays should be impounded for at least 3 days to give owners sufficient time to reclaim animals apprehended as strays and to determine whether human exposure has occurred.

# 3. Quarantine.

a. International. Present USDA regulations (CFR No. 71154) governing the importation of wild and domestic felines, canines, and other potential rabies vectors are minimal for preventing the introduction of rabid animals into the United States. All dogs and cats imported from countries with endemic rabies should be vaccinated against rabies at least 30 days before entry into the United States. \*CDC is responsible for these animals imported into the United States. CDC's requirements should be coordinated with interstate shipment requirements. The health authority of the state of destination should be notified within 72 hours of any animal conditionally admitted into its jurisdiction.

The conditional admission of such animals into the United States must be subject to state and local laws governing rabies. Failures to comply with these requirements should be promptly reported to the director of CDC.

b. Interstate. Before interstate shipment, dogs and cats should be vaccinated against rabies according to the Compendium's recommendations, preferably at least 30 days before shipment. While in shipment, they should be accompanied by a currently valid NASPHV Form #50 Rabies Vaccination Certificate. One copy of the certificate should be mailed to the appropriate Public Health Veterinarian or State Veterinarian of the state of destination.

In regard to cats, these recommendations do not conform to the official recommendations of CDC and the U.S. Public Health Service. Although domestic feline rabies has increased, there has been no evidence of increased risk of imported rabies in cats. U.S. Foreign Quarantine Regulations do not require rabies vaccinations for imported cats.

- c. Health Certificates. If a certificate is required for dogs and cats in transit, it must not replace the NASPHV rabies vaccination certificate.
- 4. Adjunct Procedures. Methods or procedures that enhance rabies control include:
  - a. Licensure. Registration of licensure of all dogs and cats may be used as a means of rabies control by controlling the stray-animal population. Frequently, a fee is charged for such licensure, and revenues collected are used to maintain a rabies- or animal-control program. Vaccination is usually recommended as a prerequisite to licensure.
  - Canvassing of Area. This includes house-to-house calls by members of the animalcontrol program to enforce vaccination and licensure requirements.
  - c. Citations. These are legal summonses issued to owners for violations, including failure to vaccinate or license their animals.
  - d. Leash Laws. All communities should adopt leash laws that can be incorporated into their animal-control ordinances.
- Postexposure Management. ANY DOMESTIC ANIMAL THAT IS BITTEN OR CCRATCHED BY A BAT OR BY A WILD, CARNIVOROUS MAMMAL THAT IS NOT AVAILABLE FOR TESTING SHOULD BE REGARDED AS HAVING BEEN EXPOSED TO A RABID ANIMAL.
  - a. Dogs and Cats. When bitten by a rabid animal, unvaccinated dogs and cats should be destroyed immediately. If the owner is unwilling to have this done, the unvaccinated animal should be placed in strict isolation for 6 months and vaccinated 1 month before being released. Dogs and cats that are currently vaccinated should be revaccinated immediately and observed by the owner for 90 days.
  - b. Livestock. All species of livestock are susceptible to rabies infection; cattle appear to be among the most susceptible of all domestic animal species. Livestock known to have been bitten by rabid animals should be destroyed (slaughtered) immediately. If the owner is unwilling to have this done, the animal should be kept under very close observation for 6 months.

The following are recommendations to owners of livestock exposed to rabid animals:

- (1) If slaughtered within 7 days of being bitten, tissues may be eaten without risk of infection, providing liberal portions of the exposed area are discarded. Federal meat inspectors will reject for slaughter any animal that has been exposed to rabies within 8 months.
- (2) No tissues or secretions from a clinically rabid animal should be used for human or animal consumption. However, because pasteurization temperatures will inactivate rabies virus, drinking pasteurized milk or eating completely cooked meat does not constitute a rabies exposure.

#### C. CONTROL METHODS IN WILD ANIMALS

Bats and wild carnivorous mammals, as well as wild animals cross-bred to domestic dogs and cats, that bite people should be killed, and appropriate tissues should be sent to the laboratory for examination for rabies. A person bitten by a bat or any wild animal should immediately report the incident to a physician who can evaluate the need for antirables treatment (see current ACIP rabies prophylaxis recommendations: Rabies Prevention—United States, 1984, MMWR 1984;33:393-402, 407-8).

 Terrestrial Mammals. Continuous and persistent government-funded programs for trapping or poisoning wildlife as a means of rabies control are not cost-effective in

reducing wildlife reservoirs or rabies incidence on a statewide basis. However, limited control in high-contact areas (picnic grounds, camps, suburban areas) may be indicated for the removal of selected, high-risk species of wild animals. The public should be warned not to handle wild animals. The state wildlife agency should be consulted early to manage any elimination programs in coordination with the state health department.

#### 2 Bats

- a. Rabid bats have been reported from every state except Hawaii and have caused human rabies infections in the United States. It is neither feasible nor practical, however, to control rabies in bats by areawide bat-population reduction programs.
- b. Bats should be eliminated from houses and surrounding structures to prevent direct association with people. Such structures should then be made bat-proof by sealing routes of entrance with screen or other means.

TABLE I. Summary—cases of specified notifiable diseases, United States

	5	Znd Week End	ing	Cum	slative, 52nd W	řeek
Dunase	Dec 28 1985	Dec. 29, 1984	Medium 1980-1984	Dec. 28. 1985	Dec 29, 1984	Median 1960-1964
Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (AIDS)	171	102	N	8.072	4.444	N
Aseptic meningriis	115	101	181	10.117	8.204	9.521
Encephalitis: Primary (arthropod-borne						
& unspec )	14	28	40	1.254	1,206	1.540
Post-infectious	2	14	3	114	124	101
Gonorrhea: Civilian	12.042	14.618	14.160	839.060	850,378	955.324
Military	187	322	322	17,624	21.107	25.550
Hepanes: Type A	484	748	727	22,959	21,989	23.364
Type B	491	1.017	737	26,316	26,879	22.326
Non A. Non B	59	177	N	4.002	3,926	19
Unspecified	86	156	156	5.709	5.208	8,743
egicrellosis	9	18	N	706	698	N
Leprosy	1	12	12	342	249	241
Malana	18	30	30	1.011	998	1,041
Measles: Total'	18 3 3	22	47	2,704	2.579	2.579
indigenous	3	14	N	2.257	2,273	9
Imported		8	0.6	447	306	
Meningococcal infections: Total	30	75	86	2.361	2,689	2,729
Cryskan	30	75	. 85	2.357	2,685	2,713
Military	*		*	4	4	15
Mumos	34	84	84	2.886	2.994	4.970
Pertusus	35	70	70	3.275	2,288	1,882
Rubella (German measles)	3	- 6	25	604	740	2.083
Syphiks (Primary & Secondary): Civikan	414	388	441	25,581	27,947	30,876
Mintary	6	8	5	143	288	361
Tosic Shock syndrome	4	11	N	341	476	
Tuberc Joses	691	941	745	21,801	22,142	25,790
Tutarnova	2	4	11	165	288	288
Typhoid fever	9	5	10	384	379	497
Typhus fever, tick-borne (RMSF)	8	3	11	700	833	1,113
Railves, priemal	61	100	85	5,269	5.329	6,171

TABLE II. Notifiable diseases of low frequency, United States

	Cum 1985		Cum: 1985
Anthrax		Leptospirosis (Fla. 1)	35
Bintulism Foodbarne	52	Plague	16
Infant	52 60	Poliomyelitis Total	35 16 5
Other	1 1	Paralytic	5
Brucellosis (Fia 1 Tex 1)	135	Pravitacioses	106
Cholera	3	Rabies, hurtum	1
Congenital rubella syndrome		Tetanus (Fig. 1)	71
Congenital syphilis, ages < 1 year	169	Trichinosis (Tex. 1)	5.7
Diphthena	2	Typhus fever flea-borne (endemic, murine)	57 25

<sup>\*</sup>There were no cases of internationally imported messles reported for this week

TABLE III. Cases of specified notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending December 28, 1985 and December 29, 1984 (52nd Week)

		Aseptic	Encep	halitis	Con	orhea	14	epatitis (V	irall, by ty	pe	I anional	
Reporting Area	AIDS	Menin- gitis	Primary	Post-in- fectious		ilian)	A	В	NA,NB	Unspeci- fied	losis	Leprosy
	Cum. 1985	1985	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1984	1985	1985	1985	1985	1985	Cum 1985
UNITED STATES	8.072	115	1.254	114	839,060	850.378	484	491	59	86	9	342
NEW ENGLAND	277	9	39		22.392	22,917	7	26	3	5		7
Maine N.H.	11	Ü	8		1,146 557	1.031 726	U	U	Ü	Ü	11	
Vt.	2		1		335	381	1					
Asss.	165	6	21		9.397	10.002	6	20	2	4		
L.L. Conn.	12 84	3	9		1,843 9,114	1,610 9,167		5	1	1		
MID ATLANTIC	3.124	22	157	12	129,586	114,018	25	42	6	3		3
Jpstate N.Y.	328	6	52	4	17,926	18.755	10	13	1	1		3
N.Y. City	2.140		17		63,503	44.152		-				3
V.J.	460	8	30		19,592	20,001	11	9	5	1		
Ps.	196	8	58	8	28,465	31.110	4	20	-	1	*	
E.N. CENTRAL	354	16	364	20	114,850	120,302	8	21	2	1		2
Ohio	53	8	143	4	31.737	31,340	3	10	*			
nd.	25 192	U	69	2 8	12.504 26.172	13.107 28.022	U	U	u	U	U	1
Wich.	80	8	68		33,516	34.758	5	11	2	1		
Wis.	24		21	6	10.921	13.075	-					
W.N. CENTRAL	122	14	79	4	41,114	41,367	16	24	3			
Minn.	40	7	38	1	5.997	6,202	2	3	*			
owa	13	2	29	18	4,302	4.574				*		
Mo. N. Dak.	49	2	î	1	20,046	19,889	1	9	2			
S. Dak.	1	2			790	1 001	7	1	1			
Nebr.	6		5		3.566	3,026	2	11				
Kans.	12	1	6	2	6,139	6,289	4					
S. ATLANTIC	1.242	6	140	47	186,592	213,141	43	84	8	6	2	
Del.	11		9		4,416	4.046	2		*	*	*	
Md. D.C.	145	9	29	1	29,280 15,695	23,909 15,062	2	10	4	1		
Va.	105		28	8	19,234	20.171		2				
W. Va.	6	-	38	-	2,598	2,731	1	2				
N.C.	65	1	30	1	36,416	34.391		3			*	
S.C.	34	1	6	*	21,326	21,422	4	34	1	-		
Go. Fla	189 516	3		37	57.627	40,197 51,212	16 17	23	3	3 2		
E.S. CENTRAL	72		40	4	76,009	75.611	3	13	1			
Ky.	17		17	-	8,733	8.999			2			
Tenn.	18		8		29,534	30,606	1	10	1			
Ala:	29	U	11	4	27.506	22.957	U	U	U	U	U	
Miss.	8		4	-	15,236	13,049	2	3		-	7	
W.S. CENTRAL	614	17	149	3	110,331	113,228	55	47	5	10		3
Ark. La.	11	2	13	2	10,354	10,298 24,589		2		*		
Okla	20	2	26	1	12,470	12,551	7	8		2		
Tex	483	14	103		66.698	65,790	48	37	5	8		2
MOUNTAIN	164	2	58	6	28.015	27,697	62	32	5	12	2	1
Mont.	1		-	-	803	1,046	5					
Idaho	3	0	:		989	1.275	4	1		*	*	
Wyo. Colo.	61	1	23	2	634 8,110	743 7.987	7	2				
N. Mex.	14		3	2	3,113	3.286		3		5		
Ariz.	52	1	17	-	8,576	7.851	36	15	3	4	2	
Utah	19		10	4	1,349	1.308	6	7	1	-	-	
Nev.	14	-	4	-	4,441	4.201	4	4	1	3	*	
PACIFIC	2.103		228	18	130,171	122.097	265	202	26	49	4	21
Wash. Oreg.	33	2	14	1	9,861 6,367	6,651	33	1 13	2		2	1
Calif.	1,923		172	17	109.081	101.405	212	172	21	49	2	15
Alaska	5		41		3,180	2,933		1	2			**
Hawaii	28				1,682	1.950	1	2		-		1
Guam	1	U	-		169	232	U	U	U	U	U	
P.R.	95		7	2	3.076	3,319						
	2	U			391	509	U	U	U	U	U	

TABLE III. (Cont'd.) Cases of specified notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending December 28, 1985 and December 29, 1984 (52nd Week)

Reporting Area  UNITED STATES  NEW ENGLAND  Manne  NEW  WITH  MAP  MAP  RI  COMM.  MID ATLANTIC  LIDITATE N Y.  N Y. City  N. J.  Pe.  E. N. CENTRAL  Disco  Mid.  R.  Mid.  Wis.  W. N. CENTRAL  LONG  Mid.  R.  Mid.  W. N.  N. Dak  S. Dak  S. Dak	Cum. 1988 1.011 59 4 4 5 5 2 2 7 6 6 6 15 18 2 7 6 6 8 18 8 2 7 6 8 18 6 6 18 8 7 7 3 5 5 2 2 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7	1985 3	2.257 38 34 4 194 72 68 17 37 48 5 55 293 37	1985 U	Cum. 1985 447 88 1 	Total Cure. 1984 2,579 106 7 49 14 182 57 113 7	genoceal Infections Cum. 1985 2.361 115 6 15 10 24 18 42 415 160 73 69 113	1985 34 	Cum. 1985 2.886 68 6 12 3 16 9 343 179 335 55	1985 35  U	Cum. 1985 3.275 216 10 114 4 54 22 12 12 267 132 27	Cum. 1984 2.288 78 4 17 25 22 4 6 210 109 18	1985 U	Cum. 1985 604 14	740 1984 740 19 1 1 16 1 232 99 108
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Mo. V. Dak.	5	-		-	6	47	28		1	3	138	16		2	- 4
V. Dak.		-					10	-	19		34	15		1	1
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Earne.	6		1	*		5	16	-	44	-	31	55		7	31
ATLANTIC	110	*	310		32	73	460		277	3	418	243		56	33
Del. Md.	25	*					12	-	1	-	2	2	-	2	2
O.C.	8	*	106		9	22	59	-	36	2	177	61		6	1
Fig.	21		21		3 7	8 5	54	-	49	-	21	19	-	-	
N. Va.	2		31		2		9		75		21	11		2	1
N.C.	10		9			1	65	-	20		39	37		1	
B.C. Sa	10		8		3	6	36		11	1	3	2	~	3	
Ta.	34		107		8	30	135		30 55		99 71	91	- 1	29	27
S. CENTRAL	11				7	6	105		32		73				
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MUNTAIN	61		496		54	145	102	1	250	14	246	131		5	22
font. Saho	-	-	122		17		11		12	-	9	20	-	-	2.0
Vyo.	3		126	-	18	23	5	*	10	-	16	7	*	1	1
ale	22	-	8	-	7	6	6 27	-	27	~	0.7	6	-	-	3
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For messles only, imported cases includes both out-of-state and international importations.

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TABLE III. (Cont'd.) Cases of specified notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending December 28, 1985 and December 29, 1984 (52nd Week)

	Syphilis (C (Primary & Se		Toxic- shock Syndrome	Tubercu	losis	Tule- remis	Typhoid Fever	Typhus Fever (Tick-borne) (RMSF)	Rabies, Animal	
Reporting Area	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1984	1985	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1984	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1985	Cum. 1985	
NITED STATES	25.581	27.947	4	21,801	22.142	165	384	700	5.269	
EW ENGLAND	584	537		737	681	4	14	10	20	
laine	17	10		46 21	36 27		9	1	1	
I.H.	40	14	U	8	8		-	-	41	
t. loss.	286	298		444	378	4	10	7	91	
1	18	23	-	53 165	56 176	*	3	1	7	
onn.	218	191		105	170					
ND ATLANTIC	3.683	3.804		3,851	3.994	2	60	39	149	
Ipstate N.Y.	270	336		644	1,670	1	15 33	6	-	
Y. City	2,248	2.256		1,910 526	855	1	11	4	40	
LJ	696 469	675 537		771	847		1	20	458	
<b>a</b> .						2	44	39	184	
N. CENTRAL	965		2	2,669	2,903 528	3	11	23	30	
Ohio	146	239 152	1 U	459 336	383		3	5	23	
ind.	429	580	0	1,196	1.207	2	20	9	47 26	
Mich.	241	358	1	537	630	1	8 2	2	58	
Wis.	66	75	*	141	155					
W N CENTRAL	240	356		626	700	50	15	43	945	
Minn	45	91	-	129	132	1	6 3	1	150	
lowa	20	11		60 302	352	32	5	8	52	
Mo	138	186		10	16	-		1	145 321	
N Dak S Dak	6	1		31	25	8	-	2	321	
Nebr	7	15		13	30	2 7	1	27	51	
Kams.	22	43	7	81	77	,				
S ATLANTIC	TIC 6.316 8.191			4,555	4,683	6	44	334	1,319	
Del	41	21	*	49	58 413	1	11	26	677	
Mid.	501	480	-	403	188					
D.C.	336 291	415		453	473	1	3	26	176	
W. Va	26	20	-	112	134	-	1 4	143	12	
NC	679	860		654	756 540	4	3	73	62	
SC	794	774	-	536 808	786		3	49	203	
Ga	3.648	1,406 3,876		1.383	1.335		19	12	158	
Fla					2.05.0	10	5	79	240	
ES CENTRAL	2.175	2,035	-	1.849 455	2.058	1	1	15	38	
Ky	65 645	542		576	601	7	2	33	72 123	
Tenn Als	651	668	U	531	565	1	2	16 15	123	
Miss.	814	728	*	287	382	,				
	6.203	6.742		2.730	2,596	67	35	138	864 149	
W S CENTRAL	319	206	-	339	315	40	3	16	20	
Ea.	1.076	1,188		388	379 257	21	2		110	
Okta	198	212	-	253 1,750	1,645	6	30		585	
Tex.	4,610	5,136							483	
MOUNTAIN	171	683	1	603	627	15	13	6	245	
Mont.	6	4		49	28	-			10	
Idaho	13			7	5	-		. 4	5:	
Wyo. Colo	215			96	95	2	5		1:	
N Mes	126	96		94	112	2 4			12	
Ariz.	325	237	1	271 21	272	3		1 -		
Drah	13 65			39	42	-		2	3	
Nev.					2 000	8	154	4 4	56	
PACIFIC	4,644			4.181	3,900			2 1		
Wash.	99			139	156	1		5	5.5	
Oreg. Calif.	4.360	3.840	) -	3,526	3,244		14	1 3	2.3	
Alaska	4	§ 6		95 189	79 214			4 -		
Hawaii	70	79	,							
Guam		2		36				3		
	87	5 790	6	342	421			2		
P.R.		3 1		1 1	4		5	16		

# TABLE IV. Deaths in 121 U.S. cities,\* week ending December 28, 1985 (52nd Week)

		All Cau	ses. By A	ge (Year	3)				All Causes, By Age (Years)							
Reporting Area	All Ages	≥65	45-64	25-44	1-24	<1	P&I** Total	Reporting Area	All Ages	≥65	45-64	25-44	1-24	<1	Tot	
NEW ENGLAND	663	489	121	27	13	12	51	S. ATLANTIC	1.042	642	249	82	33	33	37	
Seston, Mass.	156	97	34	11	6	7	14	Atlanta, Ga.	128	72	31	16	5	4	4	
Bridgeport, Conn.	44	32	9	1	1	1	2	Baltimore, Md.	238	156	51	18	9	4	6	
ambridge, Mass.		32			-	-	5	Charlotte N.C.	66	38	19	3	1	2	3	
all River, Mass.	30	27	2	1			1	Jacksonville, Fla.	75	52	17	4	1	1		
fartford, Conn.	52	37	12	1		2	6	Miarri, Fla.	160	103	39	9	5	4	:	
towell. Mass.	37	32	3	2	-	-	5	Norfolk, Va.	35	15	11	4	4	1		
ynn, Mass.	19	12	6	1		-	1	Richmond, Va.	59	25	24	6	2	2		
New Bedford, Mass	26	23		1	2			Savannah Ga.	20	9	4	2	2	3		
New Haven, Conn.	56	33	16	5	1	- 1	2	St. Petersburg, Fla.	92	77	9	2	-	4	1	
ravidence, R.I.	57	46	10		1	-	4	Tampa, Fla.	49	25	15	3	3	3		
Somerville, Mass.	13	11	2	-	*	-	2	Washington, D.C.	104	56	27	15	1	5		
Springfield, Mass.	38	29	7	1	1		3	Wilmington, Del.	16	14	2		-	-		
Naterbury, Conn.	43	31	12	*	*	*	2									
Norcester, Mass.	60	47	8	3	1	1	4	E.S. CENTRAL	578	378	131	42	15	12	2	
								Birmingham, Ala.	83	49	22	6	2	id.		
MID ATLANTIC	2.619	1,712	592	216	52	46	148	Chattanooga, Tenr		22	8	2	2			
Albany, N.Y.	44	28	8	3	2	3	2	Knoxville, Tenn.	42	31	6	3	2			
Allentown, Pa.	22	19	3				-	Louisville, Ky.	59	49	8	-		2		
Buffalo, N.Y.	117	76	29	4	3	5	14	Memphis, Tenn.	208	133	50	20	4	1		
Camden, N.J.	32	20	6	5		1	1	Mobile, Ale.	66	38	15	6	4	3		
Elizabeth, N.J.	23	15	7	1			2	Montgomery, Ala.	26	20	3	1	-	2		
rie. Pa.t	41	27	9	4	1	*	7	Nastrolle, Tenn.	60	36	19	4	1			
Jersey City, N.J.	46	31	. 8	5	1	1	1			-						
N.Y. City, N.Y.	1.346	864	302	135	27	18	68	W.S. CENTRAL	1,010	711	163	64	41	31	18	
Newark, N.J.	48	24	13	11	-		1	Austin, Tex.	36	24	7	3	2	-		
Paterson, N.J.	34	22	7	1		4	4	Baton Rouge, La.	30	17	7	3	2	1		
Philadelphia, Pa.	393	255	100	18	9	11	23	Corpus Christi, Te		14	7	2	4			
Pittsburgh, Ps.†	72	42	21	8	1		2	Dallas, Tex.	133	65	39	13	5	11		
Reading, Pa.	28	20	6	1	1		A	El Paso, Tex.	39	24	11	3		1		
Nochester, N.Y.	130	94	22	10	3		12	Fort Worth, Tex.	67	45	16	3	3			
Schenectady, N.Y.	31	26	3	445	1	1	1		298	266	3	7	12	10		
Scranton, Pa 1	26	20	6	-				Houston, Tex. §	50	34	10	2	2	2		
Syracuse, N.Y.	84	59	21	2	1	2	1	Little Rock, Ark. New Orleans, La.	59	36	14	A	5			
Trenton, N.J.	35	24	5	4	1	1	3		140	86	32	12	5	5	1	
Utica, N.Y.	31	20	9	1	1		1	San Antonio, Tex.		42	5	5	5	2	,	
Yonkers, N.Y.	36	26	7	3			1	Shreveport, La. Tulsa, Okla.	52 79	58	12	7	1	1		
	2.028	1,515	281	94		0.0	81		596	381		38	20	13	3	
EN CENTRAL	81	51	18	5	55	82	6	MOUNTAIN		58	142	10	20	13	3	
Akron, Ohio	42	28	11	2	1	6		Albuquerque, N.M.			5	1	2			
Canton, Ohio	553					37	6	Colo. Springs, Col		16			1	3		
Chicago, III.§		462 38	11	26	16		16	Denver, Colo.	107	60	19	10	5	3		
Cincinnati, Ohio	139	93	30	2	3	3	5	Las Vegas, Nev		51	4	4	1	-		
Cleveland, Ohio				5	6	5	2	Ogden, Utah	15							
Columbus, Ohio	130	88	24	12	3	3	4	Phoenix, Ariz.	139	90	33	6	5	5		
Dayton, Ohio	95	67	20	5	3	-		Pueblo, Colo.	24	18	5	1		~		
Detroit, Mich. §	259	233	2	5	12	7		Salt Lake City, Uta	h 27	13	8	2	1	3		
vansville, ind.	31	26	5			-		Tucson, Anz.	93	66	20	3	3	1		
Fort Wayne, ind.	40	27	9	4	-	*	1				200			40		
Gary, Ind.	22	9	10	1	2	*		PACIFIC	1,579	1,048	305	137	41	40	1	
Grand Rapids, Mic		30	5	3	1	2		Berkeley, Calif.	22	15	3	4	-	-		
ndianapolis, Ind.	148	96	30	14	3	5		Fresno, Calif.	71	59	11	1				
Madison, Wis.	35	22	8	3	2	-	2	Glendale, Calif.	5	4		1		-		
Wilwaukee, Wis.	102	70	23	2		7		Honolulu, Hawaii	79	47	21	4	4	3		
Peoria, III.	44	28	10	2	1	3		Long Beach, Calif.	95	63	19	7	2	4		
Rockford, III.	40	30	8	1	-	- 1	2	Los Angeles, Calif	317	186	64	47	11	2		
South Bend, Ind.	41	32	8	*	-	1	5	Oakland, Calif.	70	49	14	2	2	3		
Taleda, Ohia	50	35	11	2	-	2		Pasadena, Calif.	22	18	3	1	~	-		
foungstown, Ohio	70	50	19	-	1	-	1	Portland, Oreg.	113	79	19	11	1	3		
MN CENTRA	619	447	109	27	16	20	42	Secremento, Calif	152	107	23	15	5	2		
W N. CENTRAL	50	33	8	4	1	4		San Diego, Calif.		112	28	19	5	6		
Des Moines, kiwa	21	17	8	1	1	2		San Francisco, Ca	153	105	30	8	2	8		
Dulutin, Minn.	27	21	2	1		2		San Jose, Calif.	115	80	22	8	3	2		
Kansas City, Kans.		84	23	7	3	1	16	Seattle, Wash.	45			5		2		
Kansas City, Mo.	116	11	23		1	1		Spokane, Wash.		25 21	8	9	5	4		
Lincoln, Nebr.	15		9				1	Tacoma, Wash.	31		6			4		
Minneapolis, Minn	81	57		2	4	9			10.734	2 222	2 000	202	200	200	-	
Omaha, Netr.	58	42	13	3		-	3	TOTAL	10,734	1,323	2.093	727	286	380	5	
St Louis, Mo.	122	92	22	5	1	2										
St. Paul, Minn.	55 74	50	11	2 2	4	1	3									
Wichita, Kans.																

<sup>\*</sup>Mortality data in this table are voluntarily reported from 121 cities in the United States, most of which have populations of 100,000 or more. A death is reported by the place of its occurrence and by the week that the death certificate was filed. Fetal deaths are not included. Presumonia and influence.

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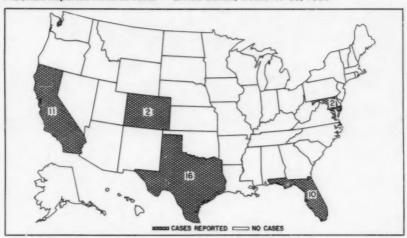
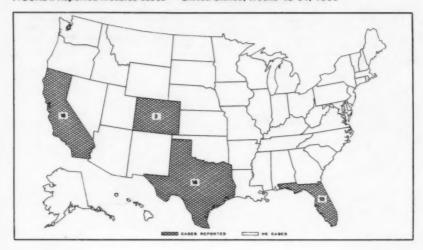


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